

NEWS NOTES FROM ARIZONA

Big Mining Company Limbering Up Machinery for Action; Stage Driver and Woman Killed.

Albuquerque, Ariz., March 22.—The limbering up of the big machinery at the Bay Consolidated Copper company's concentrator has commenced. Work was begun last week and the wheels of the big plant turned for the first time Thursday. The beginning of the treatment of ore is set for some time this week. An average of 14 cars of ore per day is now being handled from the mines to the mill.

The discover of possible what reason Douglas people who do not go to church have for remaining away. Rev. W. L. Martin is calling upon the people of that city to answer the following question: "Why is the church attendance not larger?" He finds that out of the population of from 10,000 to 15,000 not more than 1,000 Douglassites, including children, attend church.

Judge Campbell has ordered the United States jury to commission to draw a grand jury to meet at Tucson on Monday, April 14, and a trial jury for Wednesday, April 26. The grand jury will be composed of 21 and the trial jury of 12 persons.

The Pioneer home at present has 11 inmates, and it will only be a short time until all of the 19 rooms are occupied. The board of control has received enough applications to fill the building twice over, but great care is being exercised not to admit anyone who is not entitled to be admitted under the law.

John D. Isaacs, consulting engineer for the Bartramian system with headquarters in Chicago, passed through Tucson en route from Los Angeles to Chicago. He was joined in Tucson by his nephew, W. B. Isaacs, engineer in charge of the Tucson-Nogales railroad, who accompanied him as far as Benson. It was the third time the two had met in eight years.

The Globe city council has decided to take no action relative to City Marshal Anderson, who shot and killed George Shumey, at least as long as Mayor Coplin is out of the city. It is rumored that Anderson will resign. There are many applicants for his position.

J. H. Kerr of Yuma has received a letter from a San Diego friend which states that the end of the track is now within nine miles of the town of Camp, which is on the American side of the international boundary about six miles from San Diego. He was of the railroad. Four hundred men are now at work on the road and this force is to be greatly increased as soon as the end of the track enters the United States.

H. E. Stevens, superintendent of construction for the Mexican West Coast Oil company, was in Nogales Saturday. He stated that the company had almost completed the creation of drilling sanctuaries on the oil properties on the Buena Vista ranch alongside of the Camino branch of the Southern Pacific. A derrick 85 feet high has been erected.

Bud Norton, driver of the stage between Moab and Roosevelt, and Mrs. Smith, a passenger, were killed Saturday when, by accident, the stage approached too close to the outer edge of the government road along the mountain side, and fell over the precipice. The vehicle was crushed on the rocks below, both the occupants being instantly killed.

OFFICIAL NEWS OF THE CAPITAL CITY

Gage Warden Makes His Report: Percentage of Tax Collections Compares Favorably With That of Last Year.

Santa Fe, N. M., March 22.—Gouvernor Mills has appointed Jose Cervantes of Estancia Santa Fe county, a forestry judge.

Gage and Fish Warden Thomas P. G. McGehee completed statistics showing number of fish planted during the year 1910 by the government fish hatchery, 45,730,111. The number of fish purchased and planted by the game warden in 1910 and 1911 was 1,126,000 and the number of small captured and distributed was 1,881.

Number of arrests made for violation of the game laws from April 1, 1910, to March 20, 1911, was ninety-five, of whom eighty-six were convicted and fined. Six acquitted and two trials pending.

The balance in territorial treasury to credit of game protection fund March 1st, 1911, was \$10,241.82.

Changes Name.

A copy of the amendment to the articles of incorporation of the Bascoult Importer company of Las Cruces has been filed with the territorial secretary changing the name to the Bascoult-French company. It is a mercantile company.

Adjutant General Brooks will go to Las Vegas to inspect the New Mexico national guard there Thursday night. This is merely a routine inspection and does not mean that the New Mexico militia is preparing to go to Old Mexico, Japan or China, although it is said to be in good trim. A United States army officer will inspect next month.

On Inspection Tour.

Superintendent of Public Instruction J. E. Clark has gone to Las Vegas and will go from there to Watson Mound and other places on an inspection tour. Mr. Clark is keenly interested in improving the schools of New Mexico and on every trip he arouses the enthusiasm of both teachers and pupils to do better work.

Mr. Clark will attend the County Teachers' Association of Curry county which meets March 31 and April 1 at Clovis. Dr. Frank H. H. Roberts, president of the New Mexico Normal university, is also expected to attend. An interesting program has been prepared and copies of it have been received here.

Collection of Taxes.

The taxes are being collected and the figures show they are up to the

figures of last year, or to be more accurate are just a wee bit ahead of the percentage collected a year ago.

Traveling Auditor, C. V. Safford made a report which shows that the amount which should be realized under the 1910 levy for territorial purposes amounts to \$730,518.54 of which \$630,182.85 has been collected and paid into the treasury of the territory.

The amount which should be realized under the 1910 levy for territorial purposes amounts to \$530,128.82 of which \$253,420 has been collected and has been remitted to the territorial treasurer.

There is just a difference of one cent per cent between the collections up to the present time of the taxes of 1910 and 1899.

Land Entries.

The following were the land entries at the local land office Tuesday: Dallas L. Garland, William L. Garfield, Estanislao Williams, Patterson, Marquette, Stanley, Wilson, Humphries, Progeson, Roman Gonzales, Gonzales, Manuel Jimenez, Guadalupe Martinez, Waggon Mount, Alfred H. Hodges, Andrew J. Hodges, Ora E. Hodges, Thomas Long, Amos M. Goodrich, Estanislao, William A. Willis, Fred Myers, Stanley Wayne C. Denison, Wiliam John Samson, Tomas Sandoval, Jesus Francisco Tellez, Felix Ulloa, Jesus Garcia, Jesus Montoya, L. Gutierrez, Margaret S. Vernon, Ewing, Frank J. T. T. Aspin, Frank H. Wilford, Waggon Mount, James H. Merrell, Mountainair, Benjamin C. Wilson, McIntosh, Harry J. Fouske, Martinez.

Daniel Higgins has been appointed postmaster at Coopers, Socorro county. J. Garrison has received his appointment as postmaster at Leake, Roosevelt county.

GIRL TRIES TO ENTER THE NAVY

Chicago, March 22.—Cathy Reights, 4,000, market steers, calves, \$15.20-\$16.75. Texas steers, \$14.50-\$16.50; western steers, \$14.50-\$15.50; steers and calves, \$14.50-\$16.50; calves, \$14.50-\$15.50.

Hogs—Receipts, \$16.00-\$17.00; market steers, \$16.00-\$17.00; mixed, \$16.00-\$17.00; good to choice, heavy, \$16.00-\$17.00; hams, \$16.00-\$17.00; bulk of hams, \$16.00-\$17.00.

Sheep—Receipts, 15,000, market strong lambs, \$14.00-\$15.00; western lambs, \$13.50-\$14.50; native lambs, \$13.50-\$14.50; native lambs, \$13.50-\$14.50; western lambs, \$13.50-\$14.50.

KANSAS CITY LIVESTOCK.

St. Louis, March 22.—Wool unchanged, mutton and western muttons, 1930-220; fine medium, 1650-1850; fine, 1700-1850.

An individual, apparently a scoundrel of medium height and slight of build, walked into the office of Lieutenant Downs, remarking: "Do you want any more men for the navy?"

The lieutenant looked the applicant over and received the name Henry Akers. The measurements were taken and Henry filled the bill as to height and weight.

"Now strap, and we will finish with you," commanded Lieutenant Downs. Here the applicant broke down and confessed he was a girl, that she was 22 years of age, that she ran away from New York four years ago.

CATTLE PRICES REMAIN LOW; RECEIPTS SHORT

BEEF OF LIVESTOCK IN KANSAS CITY PRICES OUT DURING PAST WEEK BUT RETURN IS NOT BENEFICIAL.

Kansas City Stockyards, March 20.—The cattle run petered out last week after Wednesday, but did no good in the way of restoring prices. The market declined to 15 cents the first days of the week, and while there was a suspicion of firmness Thursday, the close was near the lowest figures. Killers are using the standard argument that meat outlet is bad and market experts say it is the truth diagnosing the complaint and looking for its cause they say that, bacon, hams and poultry contribute a little but cheap pork and mutton are main cause of the stagnation in beef channels. Both pork and mutton are more than \$2 per cent cheaper now than a year ago on the hoof, while cattle average only 11 cent cheaper. Butchers get a better margin on pork and mutton than on beef, and consequently push those varieties at the expense of beef. The end of the general sheep supply is in sight, it is claimed, although Arizona and Texas will send a big crop of grass muttons to market this year, and will start them early, some time in April, on account of great rains there last month. The cattle run today here is fairly bad, fairly good elsewhere, and the same old spring fever is operating in the market, weak to 12 cents lower. Beef steers get the maximum cut out, as they have for the past week, butcher grades escaping with slight loss, steaks and feeders trim calves of all kinds received a fair week ago. Top steers today \$16.50, top feeders \$16.50, bulk of beef steers \$15.50 to \$16.50, cows \$14.00 to \$15.50, bulls \$14.00 to \$15.50, colts \$14.50 to \$17.25, quarantine steers \$14.50 to \$15.50, stock steers \$14.25 to \$16.50, feeders \$14.50 to \$16.50.

Receipts of hogs since a week ago, and nearly every one of them a hog, has convinced packers that prices ought to come down a peg, and the market is 10 to 40 cents below a week ago. Hams, 16,000 here today, prices off 15 to 20 cents, heavy hogs selling off \$5.50 to \$6.50, lights \$6.00 to \$6.50, medium \$6.50 to \$7.00.

An extraordinary demand for hams from abroad keeps heavy weights up within a respectable distance from the pens. Hams have been nearly double the supply of a year ago, and are running up faster than anybody expected, conclusive evidence, if any were needed, that the country has been holding back and feeding for weight.

Sheep and lambs are coming pretty freely, but the prices are holding up now, 15 to 25 cents higher today than a week ago, although lambs closed 10 cents lower yesterday. Mutton channels seem to be open at present values and the 17,000 head here today found a fairly ready outlet, lambs at \$6.00 to \$6.50, lights \$6.00 to \$6.50.

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The Markets

Hay—Kansas, per ton, \$15.00; Oklahoma, \$15.50; native, \$14.00; grama, \$18.00; Rio Puerco, \$18.00; alfalfa, \$15.00.

Grain—Corn, per cwt., \$1.10; wheat, \$2.00; white bran, \$1.75; red bran, \$1.50; Colorado oats, \$2.00; Nebraska oats, \$1.75; native, \$1.50; barley, per bushel, \$1.65.

Staples—Flour, per 50-lb. sack, \$0.95; sugar, per cwt., \$5.00-\$6.00; 15 lbs. for \$1.00; lard, 15c.; rice, 15c.; hominy, 6c.-1c.; native beans, 8c.; navy beans, 8c.

Eggs and Produce—Ranch eggs per dozen, 40c.; Kansas eggs, 30c.; New Mexico eggs, 32c.; butter, per lb., 42½c.; honey, per comb, 12½c.; lard, 10c.; soap, 12c.; cheese, 25c.-30c.

Nuts—Per lb., 25c.; peanuts, 15c.; fancy roasted, 20c.

Fruits—Apples, per box, \$2.25-\$3.00; 500 apples, per lb., 8c.-10c.; dried raisins, 20c.; figs, 15c.; imported dried dates, 15c.; currants, 12c.; citron, 12c.; bananas, per dozen, 25c.; oranges, per dozen, 12c.; lemons, 15c.; grapefruit, per dozen, 14c.; coconuts, each, 10c.; guavas, 10c.

Vegetables—Potatoes, per cwt., \$1.50-\$2.00; onions, green, 2 bunches per box, dry onions, per lb., 2c.; carrots, 15c.; turnips, 15c.; radishes, 2 bunches per box; carrots, 15c.; lettuce, 3 bunches per box; beans, 15c.; tomatoes, 15c.; cucumbers, 15c.; beans, 15c.; beans, 15c.

Chicory—Receipts, \$16.00-\$17.00; market steers, \$16.00-\$17.00; market lambs, \$16.00-\$17.00; market hams, \$16.00-\$17.00.

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